



INDUSTRIALISTS AT SEA . . . A number of Southland industrialists went to sea recently as guests of the Commandant of the Eleventh Naval District. Assigned to the heavy cruiser USS Pittsburgh for the tour, the Southland leaders were given a look at the state of readiness achieved by the fleet. Local participants in the tour included Henry Creeger (extreme left), plant manager of the American Standard firm here; and Hyman W. Ullman (third from right), transportation manager for Sunset Oil Co., at 21000 S. Figueroa.



WRONG EDDIE? . . . It isn't her fiance, Eddie Fisher, that Debbie Reynolds is kissing, but Marine Master Sgt. Eddie Middleton, of 2022 Plaza del Amo, seems happy about the situation. He flew Debbie Reynolds' USO Troupe to the First Marine Aircraft Wing Headquarters in Korea for a performance recently. He was noncommittal about his wife's reaction.

Outstanding Recreation Events Cited

A wide variety of special events have been planned for the summer of 1955 by the recreation department.

Among the outstanding special events are a series of five Teen-Age dances in the Civic Auditorium, a water safety show conducted by the Los Angeles County Lifeguards, a local and city-wide Pet Show, an all games day, Talent Show, 3 teen-age plays, including a Western musical, mother and daughter tea, Fish Derby at Alondra Park, city-wide Circus at Torrance Park, Old Fashioned Picnic at Torrance Park, Family Dance, Baby Show, Concerts at the Torrance Park Band Shell every Sunday, and the Annual Open House program in the Civic Auditorium.

A Summer Brochure recently released by the Department of Recreation is now available for public distribution, according to Tony Gallo, Special Events Supervisor.

Four thousand programs will be distributed through the schools before June 17. Anyone wishing to obtain one may do so by calling at the Recreation Department Office.

Local Office Handles Vet Bonus Claims

Korean veterans from four states may now file their state bonus at the Community Chest-supported Veterans Service Center, 1622 Gramercy Ave. Mrs. Helen K. Dill, executive director of the Torrance Area

Veterans Service Center, said that South Dakota, Massachusetts, Louisiana, and Michigan have authorized bonuses to their veterans. Applicants must have had a minimum of six months legal

residents in these states prior to induction into the armed forces and must have been discharged under honorable conditions. Mrs. Dill reminded veterans from South Dakota and Mass-

achusetts to bring their original discharge, those from Michigan the original and an actual size photostatic copy, while Louisiana veterans need bring only an actual size photostatic. The Veterans Service Center is open Monday through Fri-

Hub Caps Robbed

Two hub caps valued at \$26 were stolen Wednesday night from the parked car of Floyd L. Rosser, 3316 W. 189th St. day, 9 a. m. to 4:30 p.m. FA 8-7527.



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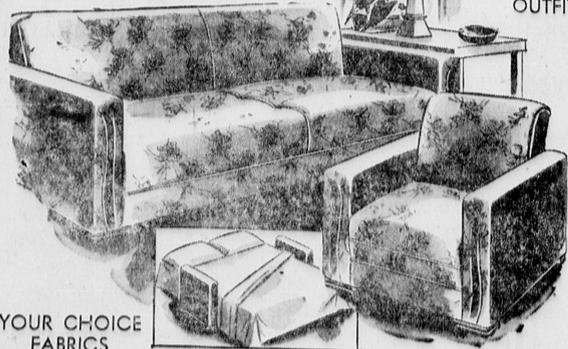
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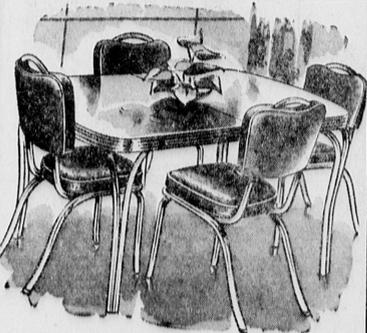


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